

Fig.1

URL	Computers	Education	Economy	Politics	Sports
URL1	5	0	2	0	0
URL2	1	0	5	0	0
URL3	0	5	1	1	1
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮

Fig.2

Channel Name	User Name	Entry/Exit Time	Message Volume
#CHOCOA	MUL	1999/10/26 10:54:50	14
	Pine	1999/10/26 12:01:52	5
	⋮	⋮	⋮

Fig.3

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Channel Name	URL	Message Sender	Time Message Sent	No. of Message	URL Characteristics			
					Computers	Education	Economy	Sports
#CHOCOA	URL1	MUL	1999/10/26 17:21:24	6	5	0	2	0
	URL2	Pine	1999/10/26 17:18:36	1	1	0	5	1

Fig.4

File [illegible] Channel

<MUL> CHOCOA's latest version is out

<MUL> [http:// www. chocoa. org/](http://www.chocoa.org/)

<pine> Drumroll

There'll be an announcement soon.

<#kabu:tao> Fujitsu's stock really went up

NicknameReal Name

MULMasahiko Murakami

PineMasahiro Matsuda

YmatsumoYasue Matsumoto

TaoYoshinori Okada

KiharaHidehito Kihara

Channel NameTopicCharacteristics

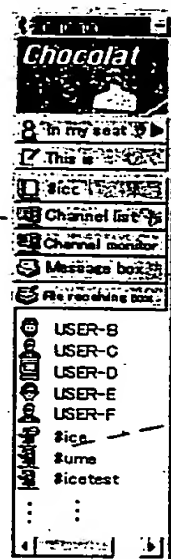
#chocoaCHOCOA new version releaseComputers 5

#kabuFujitsu stock price upEconomy 4

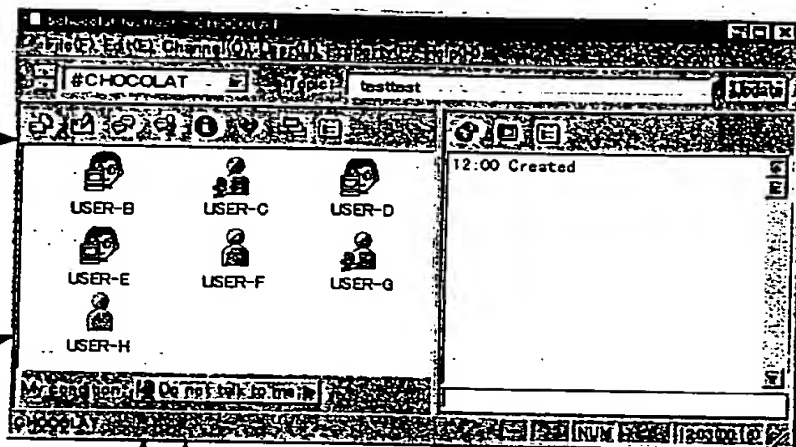
Fig.5

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(a) Tool palette window



(b) Chat window



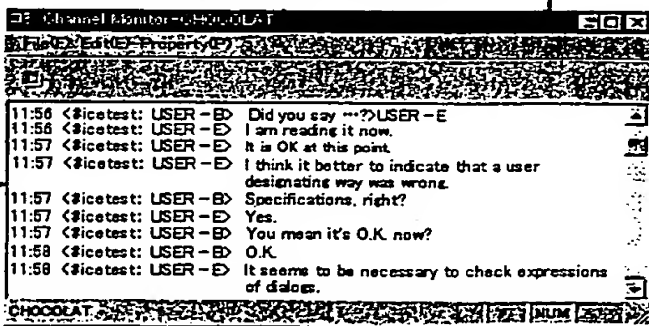
(c) Channel characteristics window

Channel characteristics of #chocoa	
Feature	Label
Calculator	5
Literature	0
Economy	3
Politics	0
Sports	0

(d) Channel list window

Channel Name	User No.	Topic	Channel -in
\$sune 3	10		
\$sictest	11	test channel for \$s and--	
\$sialb	92	test 2	
\$sictest	9	test OHBMP=RESVb	
\$sicc	62		
\$sichocolat	10	5th Anniversary Exhibition of Akashi Lab	

(e) Channel monitor window



← : Single click

← : Double click

Fig.6

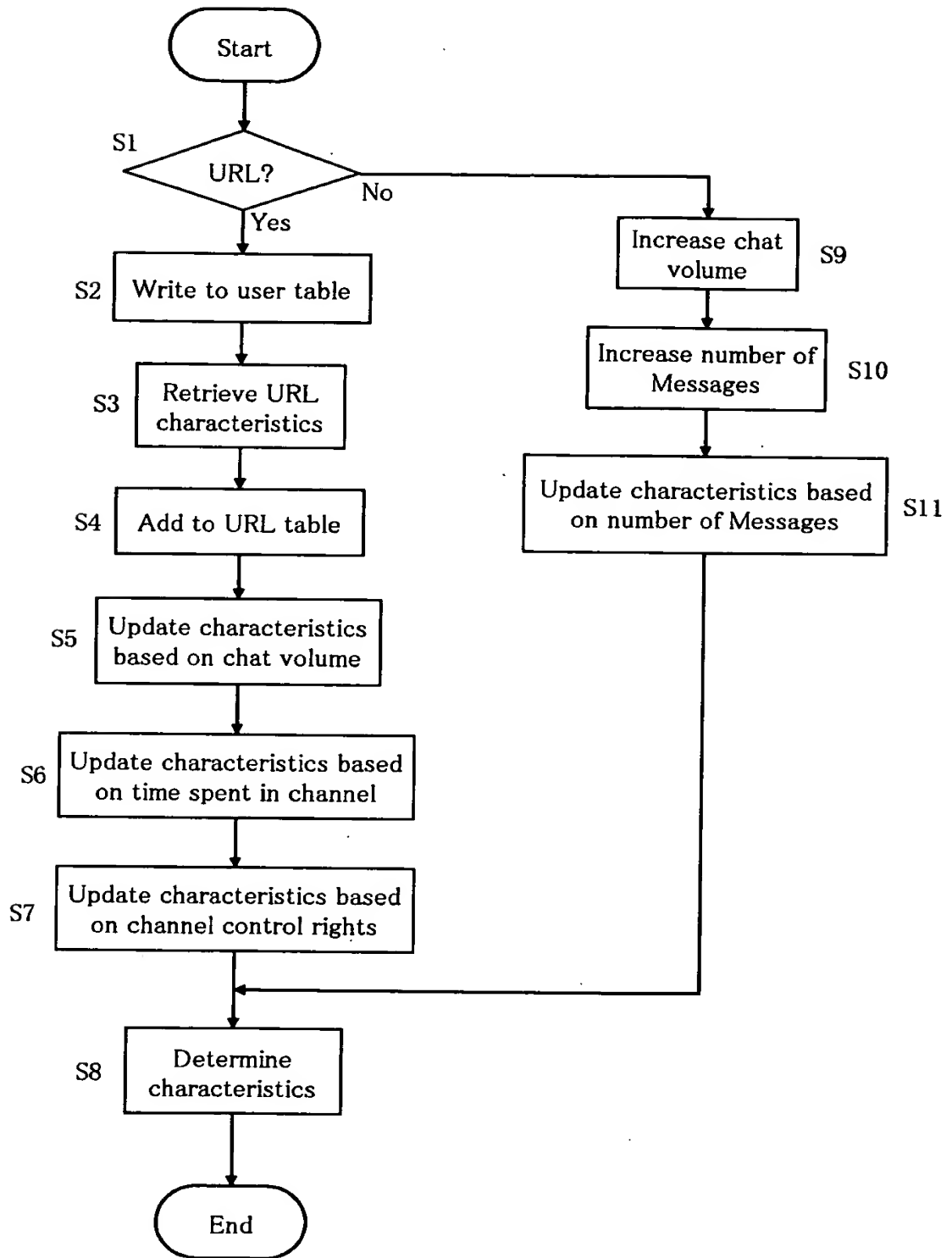


Fig.7

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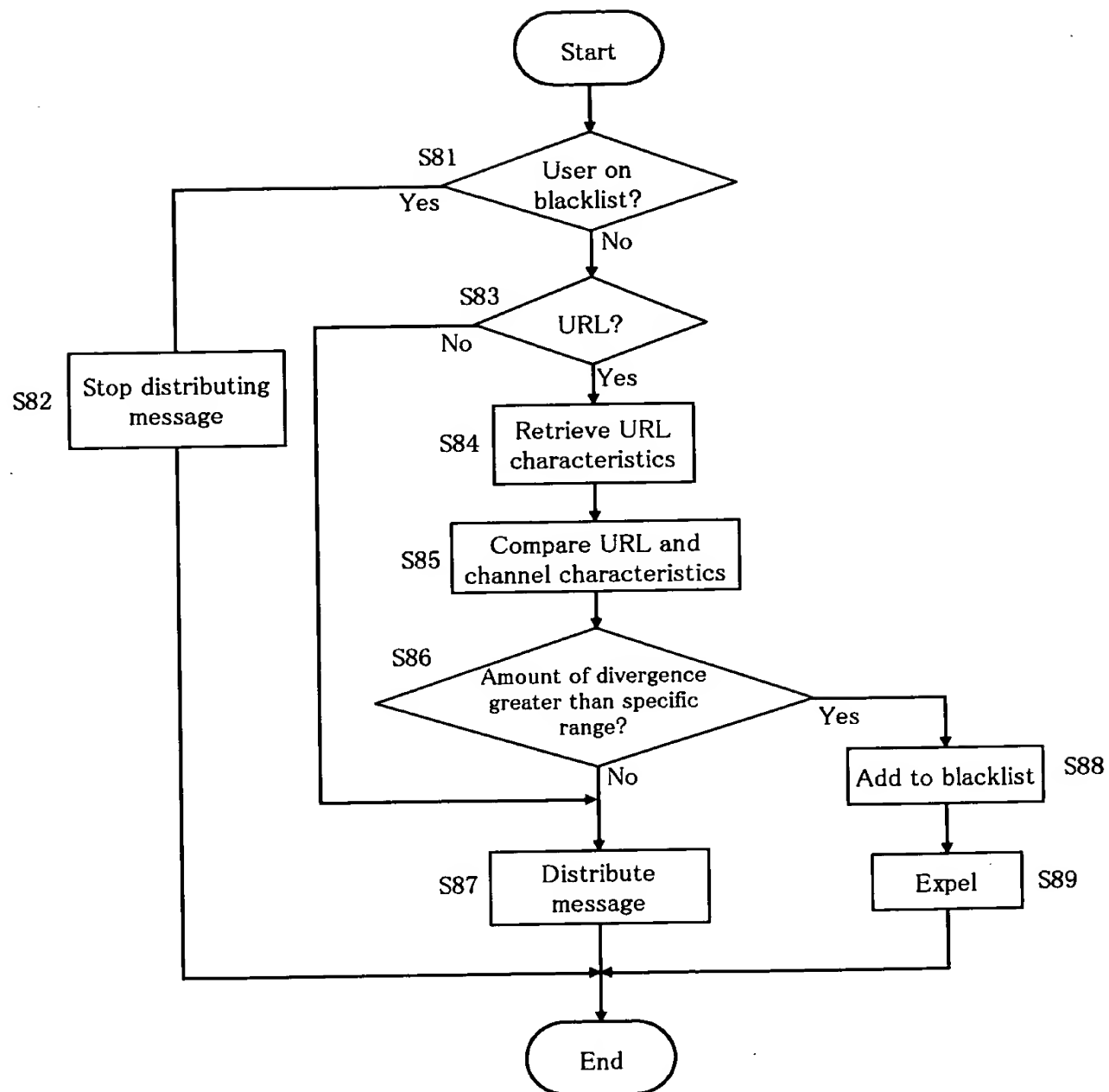


Fig.8